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INVENTOR: Dillis V. Allen )  
INVENTION: MODIFIED GOLF CLUB FACE ) EXAMINER: S. Blau  
FLEXURE CONTROL SYSTEM )  
SERIAL NO: 09/955,899 ) ART UNIT: 3711  
FILED: 9-19-01 )

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW ABANDONMENT BASED ON FAILURE TO  
RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION(See MPEP 711.03(c)(II))

Honorable Sir:

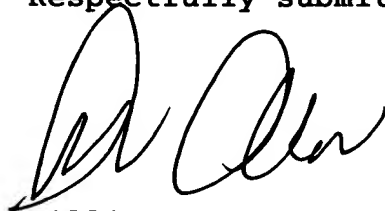
This is a Petition to Withdraw the holding of abandonment dated December 12, 2003, based on a failure to receive the Notice of Allowance and issue fee due. Upon receiving the Notice of Abandonment, applicant's counsel telephoned Clerk Tom Hawkins at telephone number 305-8380 and was informed that a Notice of Allowance issued in this application on June 27, 2003, but was never received by this applicant.

Exhibit A attached hereto is the external file wrapper in this application, and as the Commissioner can see, there is no entry for the June 27, 2003, Notice of Allowance.

Applicant's counsel also notes that there is no fee required under MPEP 711.03(c)(II).

For the above reasons, it is respectfully requested that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn and that the Notice of Allowance be remailed in accordance with MPEP 711.03(c)II.

Respectfully submitted,



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Serial No. 09/955,899 Filed 9-19-01  
Title Modified Golf Club Face Flexure Control System  
Assignee Vardon Golf Company, Inc.  
Assignment Recorded 9-19-01 Reel 012123 Frame 0567

OFFICE ACTIONS

AMENDMENTS

9-19-01 - mailed new patent app.,  
16 sheets of informal drawings,  
 oath assignment ~~with~~ with 8  
attached. Cover sheet, filing fee  
& return postcard to P.O. Area  
EXPRESS MAIL.  
10-22-01 - foreign filing license  
granted.  
2-15-02 - Notice of Publication  
of Application - 2-14-02.  
OA 7-17-02. Claims 1-12 rejected;  
Amend. due 10-17-02.

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1-16-03 - mailed Petition for  
Extension of Time through  
third Month Terminal Discontinuation  
proposed drawings, corrected  
amendment, \$520 check and  
return postcard to P.O.;  
rec'd in P.O. on 1-21-03.

OA-3-6-03 - FINAL - Claims 1-4